



MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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At its meeting held Wednesday, November 8, 2006, the Board took the following action:

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Supervisor Yaroslavsky made the following statement:

“On November 10, 1775, the Continental Congress formally established the battalions that became the foundation of the military organization we know today as the United States Marine Corps.

“From those earliest days, as America embarked on the course that would eventually establish our Nation as the premier world power, Marines have marched in legendary lock-step, guiding, leading and protecting the Country and asserting ‘We will be the first to fight.’ In confronting trouble in ‘any clime and place,’ Marines have served unfailingly with honor and distinction from ‘The Halls of Montezuma to the Shores of Tripoli.’

“Nearly 60 years ago, here in Los Angeles, the Marines revealed their gentle and caring side by launching the ‘Toys for Tots’ program to collect gifts for needy children at holiday time. Today, the United States Marines serve proudly throughout the world in peacetime and in war, known and cherished as ‘America’s 911.’”

Therefore, on motion of Supervisor Yaroslavsky, seconded by Supervisor Antonovich, unanimously carried (Supervisor Knabe being absent), the Board proclaimed the week of November 5 through 11, 2006 as “United States Marine Corps Week” throughout Los Angeles County, in celebration of the Corps’ 231st birthday, and urged all residents to give their thanks and respect to the United States Marine Corps for its selfless and courageous service to our Country.

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